

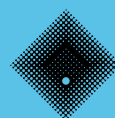


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# GRADUATION PROGRAM

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MARCH  
2022



**VICTORIA  
UNIVERSITY**

# PRESENTING OF DEGREES, DIPLOMAS AND CERTIFICATES

21 – 25 March 2022

Flemington Racecourse, Grandstand  
Epsom Road, Flemington, VIC

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# ACKNOWLEDGEMENT OF COUNTRY

Victoria University (VU) acknowledges the Elders, families and forebearers of the Boonwurrung, Woiwurrung (Wurundjeri) and Wathaurung (Wadawurrung) who are the custodians of University land and have been for many centuries.

We acknowledge that the land on which we stand is the place of age-old ceremonies of celebration, initiation and renewal, and that the Kulin people's living culture had, and has, a unique role in the life of this region. VU supports the aim of Reconciliation Australia to build better relationships between the wider Australian community and Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander peoples for the benefit of all Australians.

# MOONDANI BALLUK ACADEMIC UNIT

Moondani Balluk means 'embrace people' in the Woiwurrung language of the Wurundjeri people.

Our vision for the Moondani Balluk Academic Unit is to create and foster:

- ◆ A culturally sensitive environment that welcomes, nurtures and recreates community based on relationship to land, culture, law and elders
- ◆ Sharing of Aboriginal knowledge and to integrate Aboriginal practices into its curricula, research and work
- ◆ Respect for all people through mutually engaged relationships
- ◆ A commitment to pursuing political and social justice, equity, and access to education for Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander people
- ◆ Accountability to Aboriginal cultural values, protocols and norms.

Moondani Balluk assists all students with:

- ◆ ABSTUDY applications and other financial assistance
- ◆ Course and enrolment advice
- ◆ Academic support through tutoring and mentoring, and use of computer and photocopying facilities
- ◆ Access to the Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Resource Library
- ◆ Social support through our campus locations, cultural awareness activities, community organisations and events
- ◆ Referral to counselling
- ◆ Referrals and support in housing and finance matters
- ◆ Career and employment advice through cadetships, work experience and job listings.

All Moondani Balluk staff maintain close links and relationships with the Koori community, working closely with the Office of Aboriginal Affairs Victoria, Local Aboriginal Network, the Department of Justice Western Metropolitan Regional Aboriginal Justice Advisory Committee, the Department of Human Services Indigenous Family Violence Regional Action Group, local members of the Koori community in the western suburbs of Melbourne and Aboriginal statewide organisations.

Find out more about the Moondani Balluk Academic Unit at [vu.edu.au/moondani-balluk](https://vu.edu.au/moondani-balluk)

# A MESSAGE FROM THE CHANCELLOR

**As Chancellor of Victoria University, I take enormous pride in the achievements of our graduates. It is a pride that is shared by your family and friends, and by all VU staff and Council members.**

Your success in completing your course of study is our greatest reward. Your graduation day is a significant milestone. It is important to me and the entire university community that each ceremony highlights the rich diversity of our institution and honours the celebratory nature of the occasion.

During your time with us, we have equipped you with the knowledge and skills you need to thrive in the modern world. You have shown an ability to set goals and achieve them. You have the tools to learn, to adapt, to be flexible, to be resilient and to succeed.

Throughout your study we have strived to give you an education which includes an understanding of the workforce and an appreciation of the world in which we live. We are now sending you out into the world to make a difference.

As a university we seek not only to provide you with a first class education but it is important to us that we strengthen the communities from which you come, and in many cases, to which you will return. Through you, and through the impact of our research on real world issues, we are improving our community, both locally, nationally and globally.

To each of our graduates – enjoy your well-deserved graduation day. I encourage you to reflect on all that you have accomplished so far and on the many experiences that are still to come.

You will always remain a member of the VU family. Please stay connected through our extensive alumni network and keep us updated on the achievements you are making in the world.

I hope that VU means as much to you as it does to me.

Congratulations and my very best wishes for an exciting and successful future.

Regards,  
Steve



**The Hon. Dr Steve Bracks AC**

CHANCELLOR

DipBusStudies(Accounting),  
GradDipEducation(Economics)UB



# A MESSAGE FROM THE VICE-CHANCELLOR AND PRESIDENT

**Welcome - and my heartfelt congratulations to all graduands at this important ceremony. I am delighted to celebrate your achievements alongside you in 2022.**

After over a year as Vice-Chancellor of this wonderful institution, it is clear that our students are diverse, resilient, resourceful and passionate about achieving their goals. This has never been more evident than in the last two years when your studies were disrupted by COVID-19. Your achievement here today is remarkable, and I hope you are as proud of yourselves as I am.

In graduating from VU, you become alumni of a university among the world's best. This enhances the value of the qualification you have worked so hard to earn, and will assist you as you forge ahead with your career both near and far.

I can think of no other Australian university with more potential than VU to influence and contribute to its communities. This is where you come in — your award is an opportunity for you to make a real contribution to the workforce and society, whether it is around the corner or the world.

I join the Chancellor in encouraging you to remain connected to the university as part of our ever-growing alumni community. I look forward to hearing more from you as you join them as valued ambassadors of VU.

Congratulations on reaching this exciting milestone. Our thoughts are with you on this special day.

With personal best wishes,  
Adam



**Professor Adam Shoemaker**

VICE-CHANCELLOR AND PRESIDENT

BAHonsQU(Canada), Ph.DANU



# START WELL, FINISH BRILLIANTLY

Congratulations! You have achieved a significant milestone. You have succeeded in your tertiary studies, and you are now a proud VU graduate.

Start well, finish brilliantly is the title, and spirit, of our *Strategic Plan 2022-2028*. What does this mean? It encapsulates a range of meanings. For you, our graduates, it means that we equipped you with the knowledge, the environment, the teachers and the tools you needed throughout your time at VU to succeed.

We prepared you to thrive – all the way from day one to graduation day. Whether it was our one-of-a-kind First Year College that made a difference, the revolutionary VU Block Model, or our skills-focused training – the VU experience was designed to realise your achievements.

What you have gained from VU takes you well into your career. As a VU graduate, you are well placed for success. For the second year in a row, employers have rated Victoria University graduates as the most employable in Australia, according to the country's most comprehensive independent survey of employer satisfaction. This is a great result that demonstrates that you graduate from VU job-ready.

VU has a long history of ensuring graduates, regardless of their personal backgrounds, successfully transition from their studies to the workforce as they embark on building rewarding careers. We have ensured that industry is integrated into our learning and teaching, and we have many longstanding partnerships that have a multifaceted impact on all we do.

You graduate today, but you are not forgotten. At VU, we keep our alumni informed, connected and engaged. With more than 270,000 alumni worldwide, alumni are inspiring current and future students and actively supporting students through mentoring, providing placements, and relevant careers advice.

And although continuing your studies one day may be the furthest thing from your mind at this moment, we look forward to welcoming you back when the time comes. After all, there are many different starting points in our lives – and you are at an exciting starting point right now.

Well done, and best of luck.





# UNIVERSITY EXECUTIVES

## CHANCELLOR

The Hon. Dr Steve Bracks AC  
DipBusStudies  
(Accounting),  
GradDipEducation  
(Economics)UB

## DEPUTY CHANCELLOR

Dr Jennifer Gray  
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Ms Kate Roffey  
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SportsAdministration/  
Sports ScienceUC,  
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## VICE-CHANCELLOR AND PRESIDENT

Professor Adam Shoemaker  
BAHonsQU(Canada), PhDANU

# VICE-CHANCELLOR'S GROUP

## DEPUTY VICE- CHANCELLOR: HIGHER EDUCATION

Professor John Germov  
BA, MA, PhD(Sociology)UON

## DEPUTY VICE- CHANCELLOR: RESEARCH & IMPACT

Professor Andy Hill  
BSc(Hons), PhD (Biochem-  
istry and Molecular Biology)  
VUW, DICICL

## DEPUTY VICE- CHANCELLOR: EXTERNAL RELATIONS & PARTNERSHIPS

The Hon. Wade Noonan  
GradCertHumanResource-  
MgmtSUT

## DEPUTY VICE-CHANCELLOR: PEOPLE & ORGANISATION

Professor Peter Radoll  
BA, MAUOC, PhD(Information  
Systems)ANU

## DEPUTY VICE- CHANCELLOR: VOCATIONAL EDUCATION

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GradDipTeach,  
GradCertLeadEdTraining,  
BAUniMelb

## CHIEF INFRASTRUCTURE OFFICER

Professor Richard  
Constantine  
PDMMelb, MBAMonash

## CHIEF FINANCIAL OFFICER

Ms Lucy Franzmann  
BAQUT  
MACommerceDeakin FCPA  
GAICD

# THE UNIVERSITY MACE — AN ESTABLISHED TRADITION

Our graduation ceremonies begin with the entrance of the University mace, signifying the authority of the Chancellor. Carried by the Mace Bearer, the mace symbolises learning, scholarship and our rich history. The mace connects us with those who have come before and those who will follow in the pursuit of learning. Made of sterling silver and 24-carat gold, the design includes the letter 'V', standing for Victoria – our University's home and namesake.

# ACADEMIC DRESS

Wearing academic dress on ceremonial occasions is a celebrated university tradition, and generally consists of a gown (also known as a robe) with a separate hood (also known as a stole), and usually a cap – doctoral candidates wear a bonnet. Throughout the Commonwealth, universities usually follow the academic dress style of Oxford or Cambridge. Our academic dress is based on the Oxford style. Traditionally, the Chancellor’s gown is faced in gold and the Vice-Chancellor’s gown is faced in silver.

The colour of the hood (stole) identifies the discipline:

<b>Ruby</b>	Arts
<b>Ultramarine</b>	Business or Business Administration
<b>Cherry</b>	Education
<b>Silver Grey</b>	Engineering
<b>Old Rose</b>	Health Science
<b>Parchment</b>	Law
<b>Pansy</b>	Music
<b>Buff</b>	Psychology
<b>Spectrum Green</b>	Science, Applied Science and Sport Science
<b>Gold</b>	Social Studies
<b>Gold</b>	Sport and Recreation
<b>Adonis Blue</b>	Doctor of Business
<b>Cherry</b>	Doctor of Education
<b>Graphite</b>	Doctor of Engineering
<b>Pearl White</b>	Doctor of Laws
<b>Ruby</b>	Doctor of Letters
<b>Sapphire</b>	Doctor of Philosophy
<b>Old Gold</b>	Doctor of Psychology
<b>Spectrum Green</b>	Doctor of Science
<b>Sky Blue</b>	Doctor of the University
<b>Tangerine</b>	TAFE Certificates

The gowns worn by graduating students help distinguish undergraduate and higher degrees:

- ◆ undergraduates and postgraduates wear a black gown – Vocational Education, Further Education and undergraduate gowns have a large slit in each sleeve
- ◆ the masters gown has a long narrow sleeve extension
- ◆ doctoral candidates wear a red gown.

**Masters** – a black gown and black cap with a black hood fully lined with the discipline colour.

**Doctors** – a black bonnet with a gold cord, a scarlet gown with a facing and a black hood fully lined with the discipline colour.

## First Nations/Indigenous

**Australians** – The academic dress of your award is worn together with a calf length black and patterned silk stole that has the Moondani Balluk name and a portion of the Moondani Balluk logo.

## ACADEMIC DRESS FOR PARTICULAR AWARDS IS AS FOLLOWS:

**Certificates** – a black cap and an undergraduate gown with a black stole with a facing of tangerine.

### Diplomates and Graduate

**Certificates** – a black cap and an undergraduate gown with a black stole with a facing in the discipline colour.

**Bachelors** – a black gown and black cap with a black hood half lined with the discipline colour. The hood for the honours degree has a white band on the edge of the hood.

The logo design is evocative of the western region of Melbourne. The black lines represent boomerangs that speak to the return of knowledge to the Aboriginal community from the University and from the Aboriginal community to the University. The eel shape represents the Traditional Owner food source while the line designs within represent Traditional Owner land, culture, law and connection as continual. The bora ring shapes in the left hand side stole panel represent Indigenous knowledge, respect and justice, and our relationships to land, culture, Elders and lore.

In official abbreviations of our awards, Victoria University is abbreviated to VicMelb.

# WELCOME TO THE ALUMNI COMMUNITY

Congratulations on your graduation and welcome to the Victoria University Alumni Community. As a graduate of the University, you have joined a global network of over 270,000 alumni living and working across 140 countries.

We hope you stay in touch and be an active member of our vibrant community.

## STAY CONNECTED

It's who you know that matters!

Build your social capital by attending alumni networking events, which may open doors to unexpected opportunities!

In the meantime, join the conversation with your fellow alumni and find your next inspiration on our channels.

Facebook: **Victoria University Alumni Community**

LinkedIn: **Victoria University Alumni Community**

Instagram: **@vualumni**

WeChat: **VictoriaUni**

## SHARE YOUR ACHIVEMENT

Share and celebrate graduations with your friends and family by using **#vicunigrads**

We will also be sharing photos from the day, so make sure you check Facebook for our graduations photo albums.



## STAY INFORMED

If you haven't already done so, we would encourage you to create and update your LinkedIn profile regularly to connect with other professionals, access opportunities and stay up-to-date with industry progress.

Whenever you change your contact details (especially your email and country of residence), please be sure to let us know. You can quickly and easily update your details by visiting – [vu.edu.au/alumni-update](http://vu.edu.au/alumni-update).

You will receive invitations to exclusive opportunities, activities and events near you, in addition to our bi-monthly e-newsletter YourVU – which will keep you up to date with events and development at VU and in the Alumni Community.

To learn more about the VU Alumni Community, go to [vu.edu.au/alumni](http://vu.edu.au/alumni).

Now that you've graduated from Victoria University, a world of opportunities is waiting for you. We wish you every success in the next stage of your life and we hope to see you at future events.

VU Alumni Relations Team  
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# GRADUATES



## COLLEGE OF ARTS AND EDUCATION

### DIPLOMA OF EDUCATION STUDIES

Aleyna Orhan  
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Joshua Kennedy  
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Merna Foad Kako  
Zeb Connors-Southall

### UNDERGRADUATE CERTIFICATE IN EDUCATION (P12) STEM

Aaron Langdon

### ASSOCIATE DEGREE IN EDUCATION STUDIES

Samuel Thomas Smith Roberson

### BACHELOR OF COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT

Arianna Ioannou

### BACHELOR OF EARLY CHILDHOOD EDUCATION

Amalka Sehani Muthukutti  
Liyanaarachchige  
Amber Ammouche  
Ashlyn Louise Boyce  
Brooke Ashleigh Koinegg  
Crisel Gulmatico Villares  
Dona Hiranya Dhananjalee  
Kumarihami Iddamalgotoda Perera  
Erika Rose Macapagal  
Jenny Nguyen  
Kacey Haynes  
Khanh Hoang  
Le Bao Chau Tran  
Mengqiu Wu  
Michelle Ainslie  
Nasro Gabow  
Natalia Slavkoska  
Purnamie Rupasinghe Amugoda  
Rabiaa Houssein  
Rachel Jane Horton  
Sachini Watshala Rowel Jayathilake  
Salwa Hussein  
Sera Sezai  
Uyen Dang

### BACHELOR OF EDUCATION (EARLY CHILDHOOD/PRIMARY)

Linda Bui

### BACHELOR OF EDUCATION (P-12)

Victoria Andrews

### BACHELOR OF EDUCATION STUDIES

Madeleine Dobai

### BACHELOR OF EDUCATIONAL STUDIES

Jye Walker

### BACHELOR OF SCREEN MEDIA

Malik Osman Koman  
Nguyen Ho  
Pinar Topcu

### BACHELOR OF YOUTH WORK

Kiara Louise Burnham  
Megha Sharma  
Talita Jessica Kei

### GRADUATE CERTIFICATE IN DIGITAL LEARNING AND TEACHING

Briannah Lewis  
Latha Chungath  
Martin Paul Kelly  
Zoe Evershed

### GRADUATE CERTIFICATE IN DIGITAL MEDIA

Wangsuoya Li

### GRADUATE CERTIFICATE IN TEACHING (SECONDARY EDUCATION)

Climas Caitlyn

### GRADUATE DIPLOMA IN EARLY CHILDHOOD EDUCATION

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Adrian Lobo  
Alexi Nash  
Asela Lakmali Kalugalla Hennak Gedara  
Ashmita Shrestha  
Chathuri Kokila De Silva Dinapurna  
Da Na Yang  
David Stephen Parker  
Elise Jane Nunn  
Gnei Shazmina Umesha Lantra  
Gurjeet Singh Walia  
Gurjot Kaur Sidhu  
Harmandeep Singh Brar  
Harmanjeet Kaur Sekhon  
Harsimran Kaur Viridi  
Jacqueline Velasco  
Jaspreet Kaur Kashyap  
Jessica Massey  
Jiajing Li  
Jotprakash Singh  
Judgebir Singh  
Kai Yu Tam  
Kajilani Fathima Mutaliph  
Kranti Joshi  
Laura Firth  
Linan Gao  
Lisha Amod Antony  
Lovepreet Kaur  
Lovnita Lovnita  
Maha Masroor  
Manisha Magar  
Marcelina Permatasari  
Maryann Rivett  
Meleena Wendy Smith  
Mithila Madushankani Hasija  
Monisha Mariam Sunil  
Muhammad Ahmed  
Nadeeshani Dhanushika Perera Balage  
Nadya Salim  
Naveen Reddy Thumma  
Navpreet Kaur  
Navpreet Kaur  
Navroop Kaur Brar  
Neelam Sanga  
Ngoc Trung Hoa Nguyen  
Nikita Subedi  
Nimesha Asangi Silva Manamalage

Nirodha Arundathi Gunawardhana  
Obee Hossain  
Ovini Amodha Hewawasam  
Palaketiyyage Henashi Kavindya  
Pepper Hoang Pham  
Raghav Malhotra  
Rajmeet Kaur  
Roanna Jamie Casie Chetty  
Sanithra Pramodini Perera Thusew Liyanaralalage  
Senevirathna Wasala Mudiyanseelage  
Umanga Hulangamuwa  
Shaili Parekh  
Shailly Jaiswal  
Shereen Onella Christalene Surendren  
Shiyuan Sun  
Stephanie East  
Sumita Rani  
Tamneet Kaur  
Tan Chee Yeong  
Taniya Sachi Paramee Nirdala Dona Samarasinghe  
Tarandeep Kaur  
Tegan Ritchie  
Thandiwe Florence Chindove  
Thi Thu-Trang Dinh  
Thilini Madhushika Medagoda  
Thotage Fernando Bhakthi Nataliya  
Upasana Sharma  
Virginia Merange  
Xuanyu Li

### MASTER OF TEACHING (PRIMARY EDUCATION)

Aleeshia Grosso  
Amy Billiet  
Brittney Macrostie  
Dhiviya Ganesan  
Hyesun Choi  
Lushani Deshika Amarasinghe  
Michaela Duncan

### MASTER OF TEACHING (SECONDARY EDUCATION)

Akash Aggarwal  
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Madeline Wood  
Neelam Rai  
Nicole Lacsni  
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## COLLEGE OF ENGINEERING AND SCIENCE

### BACHELOR OF BUILDING DESIGN

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Bijay Gurung  
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Biswas Rijal  
Dipak Poudel  
Dipesh Parajuli  
Ethan Templeton  
Gourav Gourav  
Hemanth Reddy Adla  
Kabita Thapa  
Manish Thapa  
Meshaal Oweidh G Alzenbaki  
Nabin Karki  
Nirdosh Mahat  
Nisha Makaju  
Nou Keosombath  
Pema Chowden  
Pradeep Poudel  
Raibal Zafar  
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Rukshana Kunwar  
Sahil Steven Rupacha  
Sameer Manandhar  
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Santosh Pokharel  
Saugat Bhandari  
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Bibekananda Bajracharya  
Binay Kc  
Bindu Priya Neelikanti  
Binod Bahadur Chand  
Bishal Thapa  
Biyana Shrestha  
Bui Khanh Hiep  
Delvien Tjhai  
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Elvis Nguyen  
Eri Fujimoto  
Ganesh Adhikari

Nischal Karki  
Parth Naresh Golani  
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Rujen Shakya  
Sabin Shrestha  
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Reem A S Th Gh Alenezi  
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Ethan Tekis

#### **BACHELOR OF ENGINEERING (HONOURS) (MECHANICAL ENGINEERING)**

Jahanzeb Khan  
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Ghouse

#### **BACHELOR OF ENGINEERING (HONOURS) WITH HONOURS (CIVIL ENGINEERING)**

Xavier Ryan

#### **GRADUATE CERTIFICATE IN PERFORMANCE-BASED BUILDING & FIRE CODES**

Andrew Garlick  
Deon Greco  
Fetih Tayip Goren  
Hannah Caitlyn Dittrich  
Matthew Harvey  
Peter Charles Eyers

#### **GRADUATE DIPLOMA IN BUILDING FIRE SAFETY**

Paul Futter

#### **MASTER OF ENGINEERING**

Mohamad Fayez Mustafa Neirat

## **COLLEGE OF HEALTH AND BIOMEDICINE**

#### **BACHELOR OF BIOMEDICAL SCIENCE (HUMAN PHYSIOLOGY/ MOLECULAR CELL BIOLOGY)**

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Patilupe Niupeti Pikona

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Briana Jane Burr  
Caitlin Alice Griffiths  
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Clementine Kayungu  
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Justine Falzon  
Kathryn Mary Mutton  
Kaur Navjot  
Kelly Marie Pickles  
Kristal Madeira  
Lauren Root  
Laxman Sapkota  
Laxmi Singh  
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Leila Beth Tadinac  
Lida Chov  
Liya Jijo  
Lydia Wairimu Kanyi  
Madelyn Brooke Caligiuri  
Madison Laity  
Melanie Barrett  
Melanie Jane Coca

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Mikaela Jayne Davis  
Mikayla Roberts  
Navrattan Chahal  
Neha Chawla  
Nyamal Kun Puoc  
Prajwol Poudel  
Puja Lamichhane Upadhyaya  
Ranabhat Pooja  
Renika Ranjani  
Reva Sharma  
Sakshi Bhavinkumar Patel  
Sarah Anne Stuchbery  
Sarah Louise Melican  
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Catherine Theresa Mercieca  
Danielle Jayne Xuereb  
Georgia Chantelle Venn  
Kirsty Lee Hope  
Madeline Fitzgerald  
Meg Alexandra Taylor  
Mollie Louise Swainger  
Natasha Fowler  
Nawal Farah  
Noor Taleb  
Philippa Charlotte Armstrong-  
Ekinsmyth  
Sian Upstill

#### **BACHELOR OF PSYCHOLOGICAL STUDIES (HONOURS)**

Eylem Temurturkan Dursun  
Isabella Ariano Faria Di Felicio  
Franco  
Jason Wellard  
Sasha Earl

#### **BACHELOR OF PSYCHOLOGY (HONOURS)**

Dhruvkumar Chiragbhai Patel

#### **GRADUATE CERTIFICATE IN NURSING**

Baudena Kay  
Dean Peace  
Fatimah Jihan Lesiguez  
Fengzhen Jiang  
Kulwinder Kaur  
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Fiona Louise Jones  
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Krystle Mario  
Kylie Michelle Brown  
Loretta Quinn  
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### MASTER OF BUSINESS (ACCOUNTING)

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Rajapaksha Pathirannahalage  
Dumindi Liyanage  
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### MASTER OF BUSINESS (INDUSTRIAL RELATIONS/HUMAN RESOURCE MANAGEMENT)

Alessandro Hutapea  
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### MASTER OF BUSINESS (MARKETING)

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### MASTER OF BUSINESS (SUPPLY CHAIN MANAGEMENT)

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### MASTER OF BUSINESS (TOURISM AND DESTINATION MANAGEMENT)

Kartik Malik

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Nguyen Hong Vi  
Nhat Quang Lam  
Sandy Pandey  
Thi Huong Giang Tran  
Tien Kieu Nguyen  
Wenling Fan

**DIPLOMA OF INFORMATION  
TECHNOLOGY**

Guardian Limsky  
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Kisung Kim

# HONORARY DEGREE CITATION

## Professor The Hon. Barry Jones AC

Victoria University is proud to honour Professor The Hon. Barry Jones AC and recognise his ongoing commitment to accessible tertiary education in Melbourne's west and his longstanding relationship with Victoria University, including during his time as Federal Member for Lalor.

Professor The Hon. Barry Jones AC has had an extensive career as a public servant, university lecturer, lawyer, high school teacher, television, and radio performer.

From 1972-77, Professor Jones was MP for Melbourne in the Victorian Legislative Assembly before transferring to the Commonwealth Parliament as MP for Lalor from 1977-1998. He was Minister for Science between 1983-90, Minister for Prices and Consumer Affairs in 1987, Minister for Small Business 1987-90 and Minister for Customs 1988-90.

In the 1980s Professor Jones was the first Australian politician to pursue the issue of climate change, global warming, and greenhouse gases when warnings about a potential climate emergency went largely unheeded in Australia. He also anticipated the digital revolution's impact and the development of the post-industrial society.

This passion extended to the Executive Board of UNESCO in Paris, where he served from 1991-95, and as Vice-President of its World Heritage Committee from 1995-96. In addition, he was National President of the ALP from 1992-2000 and 2005-06, Deputy Chairman of the Constitutional Convention in 1998, and a Visiting Fellow Commoner at Trinity College, Cambridge in 2000-01.

Professor Jones is the only person to have been elected as a Fellow of all four Australian learned academies FTSE (1992), FAHA (1993), FAA (1996), FASSA (2003). He was awarded an AO in 1993, before being promoted to AC in 2014, and named by the National Trust in 1998 as one of Australia's 100 Living National Treasures.

He chaired the Victorian Schools Innovation Commission from 2001-05 and Port Arthur Historic Site Management Authority from 2000-04 and 2005-12, and was elected a Fellow of the Australian College of Educators in 2003.

Professor Jones has always been an enthusiast of promoting access to tertiary education in the West of Melbourne. Even when the whole concept was quite unfamiliar, even daunting for many, Professor Jones lobbied for the expansion and consolidation of Victoria University - particularly the expansion of the Werribee campus in his Federal Electorate of Lalor.

In 2021, Professor Jones delivered the inaugural Jean McLean Oration at Victoria University to honour Jean's long and distinguished career as a politician and activist.

His speech entitled *The Democratic Crisis: Whatever happened to courage, principle, commitment, accountability?* was both poignant and highly insightful. It provided a considered and detailed insight into the threats and risks that democratic societies face every day.

In recognition of his outstanding contribution to Victoria University and tertiary education in the West of Melbourne, I have the great honour to present to you, for admission to the degree of Doctor of the University, honoris causa, Professor The Hon Barry Jones AC.



**Professor Adam Shoemaker**

Vice-Chancellor and President



# COMPANION OF THE UNIVERSITY

An honorary award conferred upon an individual who has contributed to the University or the wider community in a significant manner other than through education or research achievements.

## 2006

### Mr Doug Thomas PSM

Retired. Former Victoria University Council Member

## 2016

### Ms Kate Roffey

Director, City Economy, Innovation and Liveability, Wyndham City Council

### Mr Vince Haining

Management Consultant, Vince Haining Consulting

### Mr Bill Jaboor

Member, West of Melbourne Economic Development Alliance

### Professor Rod Maddock

Vice-Chancellors Fellow, Victoria University

### The Hon Lindsay Tanner

Chair, Mitchell Institute Advisory Board

### Mr Rob Stary

Principal, Stary Norton Halphen

### Ms Anne Barker

Chair, LeadWest

### Associate Professor Alex Cockram

Chief Executive, Western Health

### Mr Luke Beveridge

Senior Coach, Western Bulldogs

### Mr Jim Williamson

Public Policy Consultant

## 2018

### Ms Rhonda Hawkins AM

Deputy Vice-Chancellor, Victoria University

### Ms Mel Jones

Cricketer. Leader in Sport, Commentator and Presenter

### Ms Bianca Chatfield

Netballer. Leader in Sport and Coach of the Victoria University Junior Netball Academy

### Mr Stephen Wall

Chief Executive Officer, Maribyrnong City Council

## 2020

### Mr Ameet Bains

CEO, Western Bulldogs Football Club

### Mr Russell Harrison

CEO, Western Health

### Ms Kelly Grigsby

CEO, Wyndham City Council

### N'Arweet Dr Caroline Briggs AM

Senior Elder, Chairperson and Founder, Boon Wurrung Foundation

### Ms Janet Galpin

Boon Wurrung Foundation

### The Hon. Wade Noonan

Former Victorian Politician and Executive Director, West of Melbourne Economic Development Alliance

## Dr David Denton QC

Queen's Counsel at the Australian Bar and the Singapore International Commercial Court

## Ms Helen Morrissey

CEO, Brimbank City Council

# HONORARY GRADUATES OF THE UNIVERSITY 1987–2022

An Honorary Degree is conferred upon an eminent individual in recognition of their distinguished service to the University or to the community, or to an individual who has displayed outstanding achievement in their field.

1987

**Dr Ke Li, HonDSc**

Vice-President and Vice-Director of the Council of Beijing Institute of Physical Education

1989

**Dr Harold Benjamin Tribe, HonPhD**

Former Footscray Technical School Student and President of Footscray Institute of Technology Council

1990

**Dr Evan Herbert Walker, HonDTech**

Minister Responsible for Post-Secondary Education

1991

**Dr Howard Beanland, HonDTech**

Footscray Technical School Principal

**Dr Irwin Maer Herrman, HonDTech**

Footscray Institute of Technology Director

**Dr Douglas Ronald Mills, HonDTech – posthumous**

Footscray Institute of Technology Director

1993

**Tan Sri Dr Jeffrey Cheah, HonDUniv**

Chairman SungeiWay Group of Companies, Malaysia

**Dr Graham John Allen, HonDUniv**

Interim and Acting Vice-Chancellor, Victoria University of Technology

1994

**Dr Albert Reynolds, HonLLD**

Prime Minister of Ireland

1995

**Dr Creighton Lee Burns AO, HonDLitt**

Foundation Chancellor, Victoria University of Technology

**Dr Edward Fenech Adami, HonLLD**

Prime Minister of Malta

1996

**Dr Pamela Helen Fullerton Melba, Lady Vestey, HonMA**

Patron, Melba Conservatorium of Music

1997

**Professor Fabio Roversi-Monaco, HonLLD**

Rettore Magnifico, University of Bologna

1998

**Sir Zelman Cowen, AK, HonLLD**

Distinguished Visiting Professor Governor-General of Australia

**Dr Mary McAleese, HonLLD**

President of Ireland

1999

**Dr Sadie Stevens, OAM, HonMA**

Deputy Chancellor

2000

**Dr Bertie Ahern, TD, HonLLD**

Prime Minister of Ireland

**Dr Thomas N Mitchell, HonDLitt**

Provost, Trinity College Dublin

2001

**The Hon. Dr Bob Halverson, OBE, HonDUniv**

Ambassador of Australia to Ireland

**Dr Clemente Zammit, MQR, HonDUniv**

Consul-General of Malta in Victoria

2002

**His Excellency Dr Richard O'Brien, HonDLitt**

Ambassador of Ireland to Australia

**The Hon. Justice Dr Robert Brooking, HonLLD**

Director of Judicial Studies, Sir Zelman Cowen Centre for Continuing Legal Education

2003

**His Excellency Dr Kay Rala Xanana Gusmão, HonLLD**

President of the Democratic Republic of Timor-Leste

**The Hon. Justice Dr John Harber Phillips AC, HonLLD**

Chief Justice of the Supreme Court of Victoria

**Professor Sir David Williams, QC, HonLLD**

Emeritus Vice-Chancellor, University of Cambridge

2004

**Dr Joy Shi Mei-Chun, HonDEng**

President, Hong Kong Institute of Technology

**Puan Sri Datin Seri Dr Susan S.C. Cheah, HonDUniv**

Executive Director, Sunway Group

2005

**Dr Campbell Rose, HonDLitt**

Chief Executive, Western Bulldogs Football Club

**Professor Vicki Sara, HonDSc**

Chancellor, University of Technology Sydney

**The Hon. Dr Jean McLean, HonDUniv**

Visiting Professor, Victoria University

2006

**Dr Peter Thomson, HonDUniv**

Director, Thomson Perrett Golf Course Architects

**Dr James Ronald Court, HonDUniv**

Retired, Volunteer worker for the handicapped

2007

**The Rt Hon. Lord Mayor, Dr John So, HonDUniv**

City of Melbourne

**Dr Ray Horsburgh AM, HonDUniv**

Director, Smorgon Steel

## 2008

**Dr Fiona Myer, HonDUniv**  
Chair, NGV Contemporary

**Dr Terry Bracks, HonDUniv**  
Chair, Western Chances

## 2009

**The Hon. Dr Ralph Willis, HonDUniv**  
Chair, Western Health

**Dr John Doherty, HonDUniv**  
Magistracy of Victoria

**His Excellency Dr José Ramos-Horta, HonDUniv**  
President of the Democratic Republic of Timor-Leste

**Professor Cheng Wei, HonDUniv**  
President of Liaoning University

## 2010

**Dr Ken Latta PSM, HonDUniv**  
Chair of Harness Racing Victoria; former CEO of the Metropolitan Fire and Emergency Services Board

**Dr Lindsay Fox AC, HonDUniv**  
Founder, Linfox

**The Hon. Dr Lynne Kosky, HonDUniv**  
Strategic Adviser, Institute for Diversity, Educational Access and Success (IDEAS)

## 2011

**The Hon. Dr Michael Kirby AC CMG, HonLLD**  
Retired, Judge of the High Court of Australia

## 2012

**The Hon. Dr Frank Hollis Rivers Vincent, HonLLD**  
Adjunct Professor (International Legal Education), Provost Sir Zelman Cowen Centre and Distinguished University Fellow at Victoria University

**Dr Dianne Foggo, HonDUniv**  
Retired, Commissioner, Fair Work Australia (1992–2010) Former Deputy Chancellor Victoria University

## 2013

**Dr John Bertrand AM, HonDUniv**  
President, Swimming Australia

**Dr Kenneth Loughnan AO HonDUniv**  
Former Chair Victoria University Foundation

## 2014

**The Hon. Dr Julia Gillard MP, BA, LLB (Melb)**  
Chairwoman, Global Partnership for Education

**Dr Kirsty Sword Gusmão, HonDUniv**  
Chair, Aloia Foundation

## 2015

**Dr Peter Laver AM, HonDUniv**  
Chancellor Victoria University (1995–2000)

**Dr Harold Mitchell AC, HonDUniv**  
Executive Chairman, Mitchell Communications Group

## 2016

**Dr Elizabeth Lee, HonDUniv**  
Senior Executive Director Sunway Education Group

**Dr Susan Alberti AC, HonDUniv**  
Managing Director, Dansu Group

**Dr Diana Natalicio, HonDUniv**  
President, The University of Texas at El Paso

**Dr Clyde Williams OBE, HonDUniv**  
Emeritus Professor of Sports Science, Loughborough University

## 2017

**Dr Peter Gordon HonLLD**  
Principal and Founder, Gordon Legal

**The Hon. Dr Stephen Bracks AC, HonDUniv**  
Chair, West of Melbourne Economic Development Alliance

## 2018

**Dr Rufus Black, HonDUniv**  
Deputy Chancellor, Victoria University (2013–2017)

## 2019

**Dr John McCall MacBain OC, HonDUniv**  
Chair, McCall MacBain Foundation, and Pamoja Capital

## 2022

**The Hon. Dr Barry Jones AC, HonDUniv**  
Australian Polymath, Author, Former Politician, Lawyer, and Former President of the ALP

